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# 2024 WHERE EVERY DAY IS PLAY DAY

WEST LICKING COUNTY FAMILY YMCA  
Summer Day Camp

## LOCATION

Licking Heights South  
Elementary school  
6623 SUMMIT RD  
PATASKALA, OH 43062

Day Camp drop off/pick up is behind the school building. Before and after camp care drop off/pick up is at the main entrance doors to Licking Heights South.

## DATES

### » OPEN HOUSE:

May 30 6:30-7:30PM

### » PRE-CAMP

School Days Out: May 28-31

### » CAMP: June 3-August 9

NO camp on July 4

## HOURS

MONDAY-FRIDAY

### » BEFORE CAMP: 7:00AM-8:30AM

### » CAMP: 8:30AM-3:30PM

### » AFTER CAMP: 3:30PM-6:00PM



## LEADERS-IN-TRAINING (LIT)

8<sup>th</sup> grade thru 15 years

We believe the future of our camp lies with you! The YMCA Leaders In Training program is a program for teens serious about learning to work with children and improving their leadership skills. We focus on developing strong leaders through training, discussion, observation, and practice. Participants learn teamwork, service, child guidance, and decision making through hands on experience working with camps while being guided by camp leaders. We train you and give you the tools to be a great counselors.

## COUNSELORS-IN-TRAINING (CIT)

Teens 16 years of age

Teens 16 years of age will have the designation of counselors in training. CITs work closely with counselors to learn leadership roles required to be a camp counselor.



## WAYS TO CAMP

### TRADITIONAL DAY CAMP

Ages 5-12 (must have completed kindergarten)

Join YMCA Day summer of FUN! Campers will participate in fun-filled activities that allow for physical involvement, social interaction, educational opportunities, leadership building, personal growth and creativity. An emphasis on our core values of Caring, Honesty, Respect, and Responsibility is included in every activity. Day campers are divided into groups by age with activities appropriate to the interests and needs of the group.

### TRADITIONAL CAMP THEMES:

- » June 3-7 **Summer Kick Off**
- » June 10-14 **Passport to Camp**
- » June 17-21 **Magical World of Camp**
- » June 24-28 **Fantastic Frenzy**
- » July 1-5 **Spirit Week** (Closed July 4)
- » July 8-12 **Go for the Gold**
- » July 15-19 **Battle for the Decades**
- » July 22-26 **Splish Splash**
- » July 29-August 2 **Get UP and Game**
- » August 5-9 **Camp Rewind**

### SPECIALTY CAMPS

Ages 5-12 (must have completed kindergarten)

Is your child a sports enthusiast, a Nerf Fanatic, or an avid fisherman? If your child has a specific interest or hobby or is interested in exploring something new, we may just have a specialty camp for them! YMCA specialty camps focus on introducing new or different hobbies, and nurturing the skills campers may already have. The rest of the day will be spent enjoying traditional camp activities like arts and crafts, swimming, games and more. Specialty camps are an additional fee that varies by camp. Space is limited!

### SPECIALTY CAMP THEMES:

- » **Passport To Fishing**
- » **Archery**
- » **Nerf Fanatic**
- » **Basketball**
- » **Gymnastics**
- » **Volleyball**



Online Camp Registration



## FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:

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## TRADITIONAL CAMP DATES & THEMES

### Week 1: June 3-7 >>

**Summer Kick Off:** Schools are out for summer! Let's celebrate by having you choose most of the activities throughout the week. Do you have an awesome new game to share with friends? Let's take this week to reconnect with old friends and meet new ones as we kick off our summer at Y camp.

### Week 2: June 10-14 >>

**Passport to Camp:** Get ready to explore as we take camp global. This week campers will try different foods, hear different music, and play fun new games from places around the globe.

### Week 3: June 17-21 >>

**Magical World of Camp:** Do you dream of being a Disney prince or princess, Iron Man, a Jedi, or a Hogwarts witch or wizard? This week is for you! Join us as we dive into our wildest movie fantasies and enjoy games, crafts, karaoke, costume contests, and more!

### Week 4: June 24-28 >>

**Fantastic Frenzy:** Be prepared to get messy and go crazy this week doing activities that aren't so ordinary! We will be doing a wide variety of off-the-wall activities, such as boys versus girl's competitions and food fights.

### Week 5: July 1-5 >>

**Spirit Week (Closed July 4):**

- >> Monday: Nature
- >> Tuesday: Color Craze
- >> Wednesday: Wild West
- >> Thursday: CLOSED
- >> Friday: Kindness Day

### Week 6: July 8-12 >>

**Go for the Gold:** We will bring back one of our camper and counselor favorites. This week will be full of camp-wide competitions, and challenges that will test campers and counselors alike both physically and mentally. Will your team win the kickball tourney? Tug-of-war? Even if you don't take home the gold, you will have a great time creating memories with your teammates! At the end of the week there will be a ceremony for performance and creativity! Win or lose, everyone will be having a ton of fun!

### Week 7: July 15-19 >>

**Battle for the Decades:** Start up your DeLorean, hop in your Tardis, or jump into the portal, because we are leaving this decade. Travel through time with themed days and activities from a different decade every day! Destinations may include the wild west, medieval times, a 50 sock hop, or even a groovy, tie-dye day. And don't forget to come back to 2024!

### Week 8: July 22-26 >>

**Splish Splash:** No summer heat will be slowing this camp down! As an escape from the summer heat, this week has tons of water activities planned for campers to enjoy while cooling down in the process. There will be water game relays, sponge tag, water balloons, a slip and slide, and more. We will also enjoy a frozen treat or two throughout the week!

### Week 9: July 29-August 2 >>

**Get UP and Game:** Calling all game lovers! Cards, board games, sports, video games, this week has something for everyone!

### Week 10: August 5-9 >>

**Camp Rewind:** Did you love all the water games during Splish Splash week? How about the chaos during Fantastic Frenzy week? Then you're in luck! Spend the last week of camp revisiting all of your favorite activities and games as we put the entire summer on rewind.



More Details

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